MYSORE DISTRICT JAIL.

NOTICE.

The 5th December 1891.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received up to the 15th January 1892 by the Superintendent of the Mysore Jail for the supply by contract of all articles of diet, &c., required for the use of prisoners confined in the Mysore Jail from 1st April 1892 to 31st March 1893, both days inclusive.

II. No tenders will be received after the date above mentioned.

III. Tenders to be superscribed "Tenders for the supply of the provisions, &c., for the Mysore Jail."

IV. No tenders will be received unless accompanied by a deposit of (Rs). 500 in cash or currency notes for the supply of provisions and (Rs). 100, for the supply of raw materials for the manufactory.

V. Tenders will be opened by the Superintendent of the Mysore Jail at the Jail Office on the date above named in the presence of such tenderers who may choose to attend at 7-30 A. M.

VI. All tenders must specify the rate at which the following articles can be supplied in pound weights per rupee of good quality :—

1. Rice, boiled and unboiled, 2. Ragi, 3. Dhal, 4. Ballar, 5. Tyre, 6. Meat (without bones), 7. Gingelly-oil, 8. Ghee, 9. Tamarind, 10. Salt, 11. Onions, 12. Garlic, 13. Curry powder, 14. Vegetables, 15. Sugar, 16. Bread, 17. Milk, 18. Firewood (dry), 19. Kerosine-oil without tins.

VII. The contractor will supply ragi grain to be ground by convicts and it will be issued as flour. The supply to be calculated and payments made upon the quantity of flour so issued at the price of the ragi grain.

VIII. The Superintendent reserves to himself the right of rejecting any tender without assigning any reason for so doing.

IX. No advance of cash will be made to the contractor. Payment for the articles supplied will be made by the Superintendent, Mysore Jail, as soon as possible after the first of each month.

X. The deposit of the successful tenderer will be retained and will be forfeited if he fails to execute the contract bond or to furnish security to the amount of Rs. (500) in cash or Government bonds for the supply of provisions, and to the amount of Rs. (100) for the supply of raw materials within one week from the date of acceptance of his contract being made known to him.

XI. A store-room will be made over to the contractor in which he can keep all non-perishable articles. Perishable articles such as meat, &c., must be at the Jail by 7-15 A. M. daily.

XII. The contract must not be sub-let.

XIII. The rice, ragi and dhal to be supplied by the contractor must be clean and free from grit. All stalks of chillies, fibres and stones of tamarind to be removed before they are supplied.

XIV. A fine not exceeding Rs. 50 will be levied at the discretion of the Superintendent of the Mysore Jail for any infringement of the stipulation of the contract or for the supply of any inferior articles and, if frequently violated, the contract will be annulled and security confiscated to the Government.

XV. The decision of the Superintendent of the Mysore Jail to be final in all questions of infringement of contract.

XVI. The contractor will be bound to purchase vegetables from the Jail garden for the use of the prisoners at a fixed rate of 5 pies per lb.

XVII. In case the contractor after taking the contract is not willing to carry out his agreement, he shall give at least one month's notice and shall forfeit the security money to Government. The contractor will also be bound to make good to Government any loss which may arise from his failure or by Government having to purchase the articles specified in the contract in the local markets at higher rates than those contracted for.

XVIII. Tenders must also specify the different rates per convict per diem for the following classes—

1.	Native laboring convicts	A Class.
2.	Do do	B Class.
3.	Do short terms	C Class.
4.	Native non-laboring males, females & under-trials	D Class.
5.	Juveniles	E Class.
6.	Europeans and East-Indians	F Class.
7.	Hospital full rice diet, half rice diet and full ragi diet.	

The contract of which will be under the same conditions as the above.

XIX. Any further information and scales of diet can be obtained by applying personally at the office of the Superintendent of the Mysore Jail. The present strength of the Jail is 270 with an anticipated increase about 320 during the year.

XX. This contract will be subject to the confirmation of the Inspector General of Prisons in Mysore.

XXI. Samples of the raw materials, wool and thread, to be brought or sent with the tenders.

XXII. Separate tenders must be submitted for I. Grain, II. Condiments, III. Mutton, IV. Firewood, V. Kerosine-oil, VI. Other necessaries and articles for the Manufactory Department.

XXIII. Any sundry articles if required must also be supplied by the tenderer at the cheapest market rate. The quantity noted in the accompanying list are not guaranteed.

N. B.—No concessions of any description will be allowed in the above contract, and the contractor should always have in his store-room a week's supply in advance.

Statement showing the probable quantity of articles required for the Mysore Jail for the year 1892-93

Articles.	Probable quantity required.	Rate per lb., Maund or Seer.	Articles.	Probable quantity required.	Rate per lb., Maund or Seer.
Copper sheets of various thickness	8		Ragi	100,000	
Brass sheets do do ...	16		Rice	25,000	
Square and thin envelopes, per pack of 25 each ...	30 packs.		Dhal	5,000	
Waterlined letter paper, per ream	6		Ballar	11,000	
White mule twist cotton No. 10, per bale of 300 lbs. ...	10 bales.		Meat	5,200	
Do do No. 20 do ...	10 do		Firewood	13,000	
Do do No. 30 per pack of 5 lbs. ...	200		Kerosine oil	200	
Do do No. 40 do ...	100		Gingelly oil	800	
Red cotton No. 40 do ...	100		Ghee	800	
Yellow do do ...	100		Curry powder	2,000	
Green do do ...	100		Tamarind	2,600	
First white clipped wool (Mandya) ...	200		Onions	2,600	
Second do (do) ...	200		Salt	3,700	
Fawn do (do) ...	200		Garlic	280	
First do (Chitaldroog)	200				
Second do do ...	200				
Chunam or scraped (Black wool).	200				
Do do (White).	200				
Do do (Fawn).	200				
Do do (Gray).	200				
The wool is subjected to be cleaned, picked and beaten out before taken out for use.					

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BANGALORE CENTRAL JAIL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 9th December 1891.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received up to 1 P. M. on 15th January 1892, by the Superintendent of the Bangalore Central Jail, for the supply by contract of the following articles required for the use of the prisoners confined in the Bangalore Central Jail from 1st April 1892 to 31st March 1893, both days inclusive.

2. No tenders will be received after the date above mentioned.